

TENNESSEE REGULATORY AUTHORITY

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460 James Robertson Parkway
Nashville, Tennessee 37243-0505

NOTICE OF PRE-HEARING CONFERENCE

DOCKET: 97-07488

PETITIONER: ELECTRIC POWER BOARD OF CHATTANOOGA

PETITIONER'S ATTORNEY: Carlos C. Smith

IN RE: Application of Electric Power Board of Chattanooga for a CCN to Provide
Intrastate Telecommunications Services

DATE: December 15, 1997

A Pre-Hearing Conference has been scheduled in the above-captioned proceeding for Monday, December 29, 1997, at 1:30 PM, in the Hearing Room on the Ground Floor at 460 James Robertson Parkway, Nashville, Tennessee for the purpose of

- 1 Determining a Statement of Issues, and simplifying those issues, if appropriate
- 2 Obtaining admissions of fact and documents which will avoid unnecessary proof
- 3 Limiting expert witnesses if appropriate
- 4 Establishing a discovery schedule and hearing date
- 5 Considering interventions

The Pre-Hearing Conference will be conducted pursuant to T C A §4-5-306 *et seq* before TRA General Counsel Dennis McNamee. The parties are encouraged to submit a statement of the issues in the case to the Pre-Hearing Officer not later than December 22, 1997, for inclusion in the Pre-Hearing Agenda. All parties are entitled to be represented by counsel.

Any motion to change the date of this Hearing must be made in writing, and filed with the Office of the Executive Secretary of the Authority. Copies of the motion must be served on all parties.

Participants with disabilities who require special accommodations or alternate communications formats should contact the Tennessee Regulatory Authority ADA-EEO/AA Coordinator/Officer, 460 James Robertson Parkway, Nashville, Tennessee 37243-0505, 1-800-342-8359 or TDD 741-3930 no less than five days prior to the scheduled hearings so that reasonable accommodations can be made.

FOR THE TENNESSEE REGULATORY AUTHORITY

K. David Waddell, Executive Secretary

cc Parties of Record
Interested Parties

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE


I hereby certify that I have this day served a true and exact copy of the within and foregoing Application on behalf of the Electric Power Board of Chattanooga, via United States mail, first class postage prepared and properly addressed to the following:

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This 19th day of November, 1997



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